

Saturday.....November 30, 1878.

Is the Red Man Fading?

The current notion that the American Indians were gradually fading away before the onward progress of the white man has, of late, received several rude shocks. Not the least forcible of these are the arguments advanced by Colonel Mallery. He shows that official returns of the birth and death rates of a large number of the tribes over which, in accordance with treaty, the United States government exercises some measure of control, indicate an excess of births, and this has gone on for a long period, so that some Indians, the Sioux confederacy for instance, have quadrupled their number in 140 years, and more than doubled within the last 30 years. According to this authority, and it cannot be denied that he has made an exhaustive and impartial study on the subject, there are nearly, if not quite, as many Indians living on this continent north of the Mexican border now as there were living in the same territory at the time of Columbus; while if those who have a mixed but partially Indian ancestry were taken into account, the number would be considerably larger now than it was four hundred years ago. Col. Mallery estimates the number of Indians north of the Rio Grande river at about 500,000 souls, and states that this amount would be a liberal computation even for precolonial days. At that time the red men were not found scattered over the inland districts of the country; in the contrary, they were never far removed from the seaboard, the great lakes, and the principal rivers. The rest of this continent seems to have been wholly uninhabited; but travelers and colonists met Indians when traversing these water routes, and inferred from this that the land lying back of them was equally well inhabited. If Col. Mallery's deductions are true, the national conscience can be relieved of a heavy load, for the terrible effect of civilization upon the Indian has been the subject of more poetic and sympathetic regret than any other phase in our history.

A Happy Centenarian.
A light-hearted centenarian cracked her last joke in a Detroit hospital one day last week, and with a smile on her withered face, passed thence to another, and possibly, more serious world. Her name was Margaret Egan, and her age 102. She had lived so long that her relatives had lost sight of her, for although she had grandchildren who were well-to-do, she was suffered to end her days as a pensioner of the Little Sisters of the Poor. But she did not droop and lose her spirits. She was as happy as the day was long, and used to sing, tell stories and even dance for the crones in the hospital. Every day she would stroll into the infirmary with a big jewsharp and sit there for hours, playing uncertain jigs and rickety reels, and contriving to bring back to wan cheeks the flush of excitement, and to dull eyes the light of other days. Only five days before her death she entertained her companions in this way, and during her illness she amused herself with her jewsharp, joking, laughing, singing, whistling and smiling, like a girl of sixteen. A few hours before her death the little old lady remarked to the doctor: "I am strong and hearty, and shall live to a good old age." It was her last joke. It is not every centenarian who can trip through the Valley of the Shadow keeping step to the creaking jangle of a rusty jewsharp.

Washing Fluid.
Take two parts spirits of turpentine, and one of aqua ammonia, and use about two tablespoonfuls of the mixture to a tub of water. Put the mixture into suds as hot as the hand can be borne in; put in the clothes and let them soak about an hour before beginning to wash. The labor will be lessened about one-half, and enough soap saved to pay for the fluid, besides the wearing of the clothes will be lessened 50 per cent., and less rubbing will be required. The clothes do not rot nor fade under this treatment, nor will any offensive odor be imparted. This recipe cost \$5, and is worth double the amount.

All Sorts.

A man who is intimate on short acquaintance is usually "short" on intimate acquaintance.

Every man is made better by the possession of a good picture, if it is only a landscape on the back of a dollar note.

In a Danbury clothing store is a card announcing: "Perfectly fitting garments. Every article sets as good as a hen."

Frequently the masculine gender is used to denote both sexes, as when we say: "man is mortal." Man frequently embraces woman.

The new English life-boat, warranted not to capsize or sink, will doubtless rest on the bottom as peacefully as any of the others.

The wise man placeth the stock of his gun to his shoulder before he fireth, but the fool looketh down the barrel to see the ball start.

After all the electric light is a failure. No women has yet killed herself while trying to kindle a fire with a quart can of it in her hand.

A dog can never be said to be completely bewildered until he is being called by two persons who are at equal distances from him at the same time.

A Danbury man who lectured in an adjoining town, said that many people failed to get into the hall. It subsequently came out that they made no attempt to.

As an over-crowded horse-car was making its way up Michigan-Grand Ave., both horses fainted at seeing a 350 pound Alderman motioning the driver.

"A telegram for you, madame."
"Why, I declare! it's from Sam!"
"Alibi mullu grub, popsy wopsy highfalutin', nix ma dolly, kimo kome."
"Why the dear old goose wants me to send him his red-flannel night-cap."

A dough-headed American has not only died in Paris and had an expensive funeral, but he left a million dollars to found a hospital for old horses. He probably left fifty poor relatives over here to wear old clothes and eat bakers' bread.

A gentleman in New Orleans was surprised to find a plump turkey served up for his dinner, and inquired of his servant how it was obtained. "Well, sir, dat turkey has ben a roos'in' on our fence fo' de las' free nights, and dis mornin' I siezed um fo' de rent ob de fence."

You may wander at your own sweet will in dreamy listlessness through the woods, taking in with eager eye the beauty of the golden tints of the foliage, and the calm subdued light of the orb of day as it comes slanting down through the trees; but, inspiring as everything is around you, you will nevertheless lose all your interest for the time being when you receive a charge of buck-shot in your calves which was evidently intended for some other animal.

A Clean Skin.
Most of our invalids are such, and millions of more healthy people will become invalids, for the want of paying the most ordinary attention to the requirements of the skin. The membrane is too often regarded as a covering only, instead of a complicated piece of machinery, scarcely second in its texture and sensitiveness to the ear and eye. Many treat it with as little reference to its proper functions as if it were nothing better than a bag of bones. It is this inconsideration for the skin that is the cause of a very large proportion of the diseases of the world. If, as claimed by some scientists, four-fifths, in bulk, of all we eat and drink must either pass off through the skin or be turned back upon the system as a poison, and that life depends as much upon these exhalations through the skin as upon inhaling pure air through the lungs, it must be of the most vital importance to keep the channel free.

A PROJECT for celebrating the nineteenth anniversary of the inauguration of Washington as first president of the United States, which occurs on the third of April next, is being discussed in New York. The plan originates in the desire to bring together representative men from all parts of the country in order to arrange for the great exhibition of the industries of all nations which is to take place in that city in 1880.

Raising Pigs for Breeding.

Pigs that are to be kept for breeders should have a mixed diet—plenty of bone and muscle forming food—and ample opportunity for exercise. If permitted the run of a good pasture (clover is the best) a moderate supply of corn will do them good and aid in promoting a healthy growth. But if the circumstances of the breeder are such that he cannot have the benefit of a pasture for his pigs, then he must endeavor to supply a substitute by using a variety of food—such as skimmed milk, wheat middlings, ground oats, mixed with oil-meal occasionally. A most excellent food may be prepared by mixing six parts of good peas and five parts of corn meal and one part of oil-meal; or the peas, corn and flax-seed may be cooked and fed without grinding if desired. Oats and peas ground together and cooked make an excellent food.

Cooked potatoes mixed with corn meal make a good combination; in short all the various grains and roots raised on the farm may be used to advantage in raising pigs, and they should nearly all be used when the pigs are not allowed the run of a good pasture.

"Whisky Straight."
An Austin paper tells an incident of the campaign: At Galena there is but one saloon, and that is kept by a democrat. A party of politicians visiting the town, naturally found their way into the saloon, and invited "the boys" to "stand in." One of the politicians, who is making his canvass with the brake put down on the whisky proposition, called for some port wine. "Port wine!" ejaculated the proprietor, in a tone of anger and astonishment, "why, you confounded scrub, do you think this is a republican saloon? This is a democratic house, and I don't keep anything but whisky straight, and you'll take whisky straight or nothing." There was blood in the proprietor's eye, and as he reached his hand under the counter, and the politician heard the click of the hammer of a self-cocker, he mildly asked to be excused, and said he guessed he would take a little whisky straight. And he gulped his dose of lightning without a murmur—and all was quiet on the Potomac.

A Hard Worked Prince.
There has been a good deal said of the popularity of the Prince of Wales among the French, and he certainly has made many friends for himself and country by his lively service in behalf of the Parisian exposition. But he does some very hard work, as will be seen by the following from the Paris correspondence of the London News: The Prince of Wales did, as well as the Duke of Aosta, join the Marshal in the Compiegne battue, and the French papers say that the English Prince made the largest bag out of 1,100 head of game killed. His Royal Highness had a hard day's work, for in the evening he went with the Princess Alexandra to the Francois to see Octave Feuillet's *Sphinx* revived at his special request. Mlle. Croizette died in the poisoning scene with realism that long ago made her famous. The Prince of Wales went behind the scenes and congratulated the actors and actresses on their great success in presenting the play.

A RESIDENT of Melbourne, Australia, recently received from a friend in the British Museum a package of peas which were taken from the folds in the clothing of an Egyptian mummy, 3,000 years old. On receiving them he placed them in a tumbler of water, where in twenty-four hours they had swelled considerably, and then planted them in pots, where they are now growing vigorously.

THE recent attempt to assassinate the King of Spain was a failure, as usual. It is rather startling to contemplate the number of times attempts have been made on the life of royal personages, but the terror of the assassination is somewhat mitigated by the regularity with which the murderous efforts fail.

SOME idea of the importance of New York as a money center may be gleaned from the fact that, at the date of the last reports of the national banks, one half the legal tender notes held by all the banks in the United States were in the New York banks.

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